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Sir:

The undersigned attorney petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a Brief on Appeal pursuant to the Notice of Appeal received in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on September 17, 2001 for five months, from November 17, 2001 to April 17, 2002.

In lieu of filing a Brief on Appeal, Applicants' Attorney is filing a Request for Continued Examination concurrently herewith.

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